

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 1800 June 10 2015 to 0600 June 11 2015



Images from the Saddle Fire in western Trinity County, northwest of Hayfork.  
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# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Significant Events – National

### **Authorities search 'behind every tree' as manhunt for escaped killers expands**

(CNN) As the search for two escaped prisoners entered its sixth day Thursday, New York and Vermont intensified security over fears the convicted killers may have crossed the border into the latter state. Authorities are looking "behind every tree, under every rock and inside every structure" for fugitives Richard Matt, 48, and David Sweat, 34, according to New York State Police Superintendent Joseph D'Amico. The pair made a brazen escape over the weekend from the maximum-security Clinton Correctional Facility in Dannemora, New York, about 20 miles south of the Canadian border. Their search involves more than 400 law enforcement officers and a \$100,000 reward. Vermont Gov. Peter Shumlin said the search area had expanded to his state. The inmates believed "New York was going to be hot and Vermont, cooler in terms of law enforcement," he said. Vermont state police vessels and additional troopers will conduct patrols on Lake Champlain, which cuts across the two states. Searches will include campsites and public campgrounds. "We have information that would suggest that Vermont was discussed as a possible location," New York Gov. Andrew Cuomo said. Under an agreement with Vermont, New York state troopers will be allowed across state lines if needed, officials said. However, D'Amico said, authorities had no hard information the men had left New York state.

## Significant Events – International

### **Australia PM Tony Abbott urges regional action against IS**

(BBC) Australian Prime Minister Tony Abbott has urged Asia Pacific nations to fight jihadist groups, saying Islamic State (IS) has global ambitions. At a conference in Sydney on countering terrorist propaganda, he said IS was a death cult with far-reaching tentacles. Australia says more than 100 of its citizens are fighting with militant jihadist groups in Syria and Iraq. Last year, Australia raised its threat level to high and has conducted a series of counter-terrorism raids. The two-day regional security summit includes ministers from 25 countries, including Malaysia, Singapore, Japan, Laos, Vietnam and New Zealand. Representatives from Google, Facebook, Twitter and other social media sites are also attending. "Daesh [IS] is coming, if it can, for every person and for every government with a simple message: 'Submit or die'," Mr. Abbott said in his opening remarks. "You can't negotiate with an entity like this, you can only fight it." "This is not terrorism for a local grievance, this is terrorism with global ambitions." Mr. Abbott said the main challenge was working out how to stop young people from joining jihadists groups, which he said would be the work of the conference. "We need idealistic young people to appreciate that joining this death cult [IS] is an utterly misguided and wrong-headed way to express their desire to sacrifice," he said. Amid concern about the domestic impact of jihadist groups, Australia has introduced new national security measures including criminalizing travel to terror hotspots and giving extra funding to police and security agencies. The government recently announced plans to table law to remove citizenship from dual nationals who support extremist groups. Mr. Abbott's remarks come after US President Barack Obama approved sending up to 450 more military personnel to Iraq to train forces fighting IS.

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Saddle Fire, Trinity County

Location of incident: 4 miles Northwest of Hyampom, Shasta-Trinity Forest

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA

Start Time: 6/9/2015, 1723

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 06/11/15 at 0100 hours:

- 800 acres timber, grass and brush, 0% contained.
- Active fire, running and spotting.
- Structure threat continues in outlying areas of Hyampom.
- 60 KV power lines threatened.
- Evacuations in progress.
- Continued commitment of CAL FIRE air and ground resources.
- Federal IMT Type 2 - NorCal 2 has been activated.

### Evacuations/Shelters

- 100 homes evacuated under a recommended evacuation order with no exact area of impact.
- Mandatory evacuations along County Road 311, also known as the Lower South Fork Road, north of Big Slide Campground to Manzanita Ranch - affects one (1) home.
- The location of the Red Cross Evacuation Center in Hayfork has been moved from the Hayfork Fairgrounds to the Hayfork High School.

### Utilities

- Per CUEA, No threat presently to the grid or transmission service.

### Deployments

- Cal OES Fire Branch Assistant Chief Ken Hood is responding to the incident.

There are no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Cal OES Duty Officers are monitoring the situation and will provide updates as they become available

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **SPILL: 15-2785, Refugio Beach, Goleta, Santa Barbara County**

- On 05/19/15 at 1243 hours the California State Warning Center received a report from the Santa Barbara County Fire Department indicating that a ¼ mile sheen was observed off of Refugio State Beach, near Goleta, Santa Barbara County.
- 06/10/2015 Incident Command Post (ICP) Executive Summary attached.

## **Proclamations**

- Governor Brown Proclaims a State of Emergency in Santa Barbara County to Assist Oil Spill Response.
- <http://gov.ca.gov/news.php?id=18967>
- A Proclamation from Santa Barbara County has been received. The County is not requesting CDAA at this time.
- On 05/22/15 City of Goleta submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The City is not requesting CDAA at this time.
- On 05/23/15 the University of California Santa Barbara submitted a Proclamation of Campus Emergency with no requests at this time.

## **Activations**

On 05/27/15:

- The State Operations Center is activated at Level 1.
- The Southern Region Emergency Operations Center (REOC) is activated at Level 1.
- Santa Barbara EOC is activated at Level 1.
- The ICP, is located at 461 S. Fairview Ave. Suite A, in Goleta, and has an Operational Period of 48 hours: 0700 to 0659 hours

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## **SPILL: 15-2785, Refugio Beach, Goleta, Santa Barbara County**

### **Deployments**

- Unified Command
  - Federal on Scene Coordinator: US Coast Guard (USCG) & the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).
  - State on Scene Coordinator: CA State Parks & CA Fish and Wildlife (CDFW).
  - Local on Scene Coordinator: Santa Barbara County Office of Emergency Management (OEM).
  - Tribal Coordination: Santa Ynez Chumash Tribe, Owl Clan Consultant representing the three Clans: Barbareno, Coastal and Southern Owl.
  - Responsible Party: Plains All American Pipeline LLC.
- Cal OES Deployments
  - Jim Acosta, Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) Ports and Harbors, Agency Representative
  - Lindsey Stanley, ESC, Territory Representative, Santa Barbara County EOC

### **Responding Agencies**

#### **Federal**

- USCG, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA), EPA, US Fish and Wildlife, and NOAA.

#### **State**

- Cal OES, CA State Parks, Cal OSPR, CA Fish and Wildlife, Cal Volunteers, CA Department of Transportation, California Highway Patrol , University of California Santa Barbara and California Coastal Commission.

#### **Local**

- Santa Barbara County OEM, Ventura County Sheriff's OES, Santa Barbara County Fire Department, City of Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara County Sheriff , Gaviota Police Department, Santa Ynez Chumash Tribe, Owl Clan Consultant representing the three Clans: Barbareno, Coastal and Southern Owl.

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## **SPILL: 15-2785, Refugio Beach, Goleta, Santa Barbara County**

### **• Response and Clean Up Efforts**

- Per Cal OES Southern Region Emergency Operations Center Situation Report:
- The ICP is overseeing operations along 96.5 miles of the shoreline of Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties and approximately 30 miles offshore.
- Work crews focused on cleanup between Arroyo Hondo and Isla Vista in Santa Barbara County.
- Impacts to the shoreline have been identified as follows:
  - As of 06/09/15 at 1800 hours, the following has been collected onshore:
    - 615 cubic yards of oily vegetation
    - 3,804 cubic yards of oily soil
    - 780 cubic yards of oily sand
    - 110 cubic yards of culvert soil
    - 450 cubic yards of oiled equipment (including gloves, masks, Tyvek, etc.)
    - 210 cubic yards of absorbent material
  - Chumash Tribal Members continue to provide cultural and archeological guidance and oversight as needed. As of 6/09/15 at 1800 hours 47 cultural monitors and 11 archeologists are supporting the response.

### **Wildlife**

- The Oiled Wildlife Care Network (OCWN) continues to conduct wildlife monitoring and recovery efforts.
- As of June 9, the OCWN has received reports of 60 birds captured, 161 birds dead (total of 219 birds), 46 mammals captured, and 87 oiled mammals dead (total of 133 mammals).
- A planned release of 6-10 Pelicans back into the wild is scheduled for Friday, 06/12/15.



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## SPILL: 15-2785, Refugio Beach, Goleta, Santa Barbara County

### Resources

- Per Cal OES Southern Region Emergency Operations Center Situation Report:
- As of June 9 there are a total of 1,176 personnel currently responding to the incident. There are 95 personnel in the ICP and 1,081 in field operations.
- There are currently 3 vessels being utilized to perform boom, skimming operations, and decontamination offshore. Vessels not currently in use are being staged in the Ventura Harbor.
- There is 1 contracted aircraft (helicopter) deployed to this incident.

### Public Information

- Joint Info Center (JIC) has been established.
  - JIC WEBSITE: <http://www.refugioresponse.com>
  - Future media inquiries regarding Refugio State Beach oil spill should call: **805-770-3682**.
- A Third-Party Claims telephone number has been established for businesses and others to report economic losses or costs due to the oil spill: 1-866-753-3619.
- June 9 – U.S. Coast Guard Government Affairs Officer provided comments to the Ventura County Board of Supervisors and City of Goleta Mayor and City Council regarding response efforts.
- June 10-Five one-on-one media briefings are scheduled for Refugio Beach today. The Unified Command will be discussing current status of the response and anticipated next steps.
- June 11-One one-on-one media briefing will be conducted at the ICP concerning the current status of the response and anticipated next steps.

### Volunteers

- California Volunteers is leading the efforts to coordinate spontaneous volunteer activities related to the Refugio Incident. Volunteer activities are currently on hold. Cal Volunteers will continue to monitor the situation and identify any additional opportunities for volunteer beach cleanup events.
- The public can assist by visiting this website <https://calspillwatch.dfg.ca.gov/Spill-Archive/Refugio-Incident/Volunteer> or by reporting oiled wildlife by calling 877-UCD-OWCN (not a volunteer line).

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **Weather of Concern**

### **Swift Return to the Heat Thursday and Friday for Northern California**

The current weather system will shift eastward tonight, and hot weather will quickly return to Northern California. Temperatures will likely rebound to around 100° on Thursday across the Valley, and even hotter temperatures Friday. Gradual cooling is expected for the weekend.

- Impacts: Heat-related illnesses and impacts possible
- Valley highs reaching around 100° Thursday, then 101°-107° Friday
- The current forecast should not raise the level of the Heat Plan, which is still phase 1.

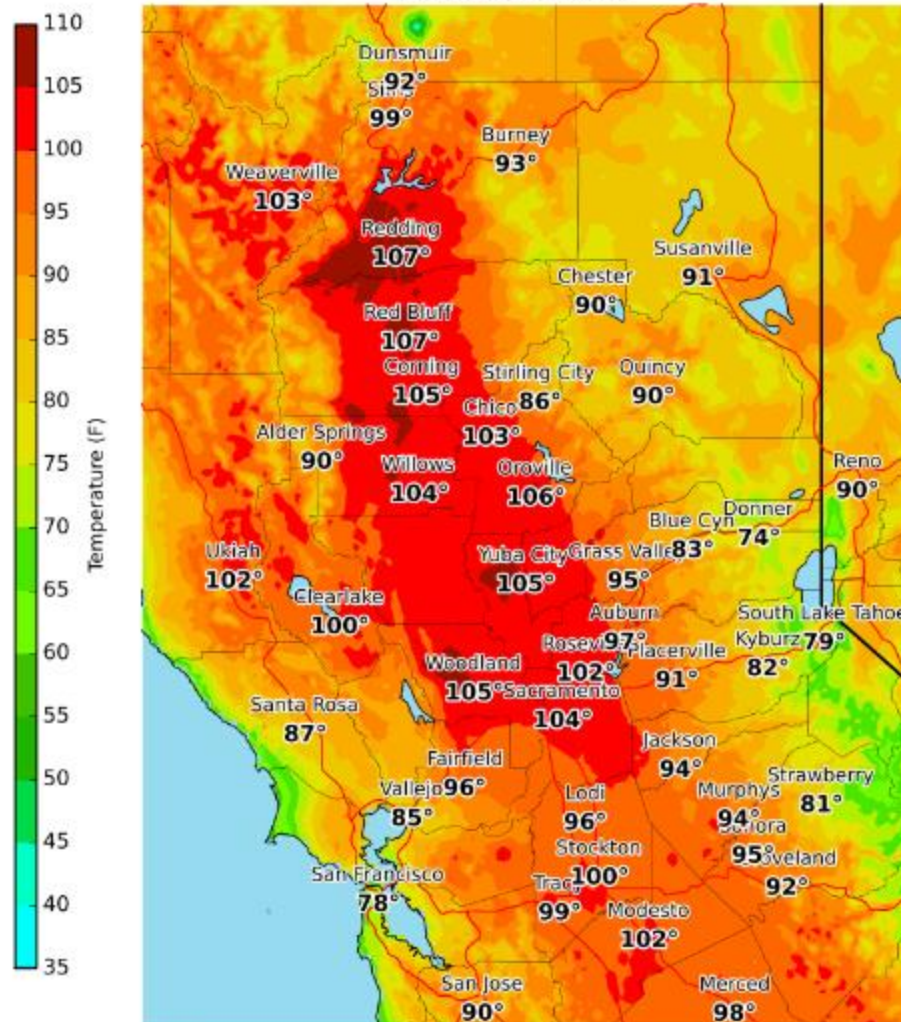
**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:** [http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)



## Hot Weather returns on Thursday and Friday for Northern California

**Friday**

Valid: June 12, 2015



**National Weather Service**

**Sacramento California**

06/10/2015 11:51 AM PDT

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# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:**

#### **Eureka Weather:**

A high pressure ridge across the region will produce drier conditions and warmer temperatures across interior areas today and Friday. Stratus will continue across coastal areas overnight through the early mornings the next few days with clearing in the afternoons.

#### **Medford Weather:**

High pressure will build over southwest Oregon and northern California today with mainly sunny, dry weather. Low clouds and patchy fog will affect some of the coastal valleys and the immediate coast this morning, but these should erode later this morning. A thermal trough strengthening in northern California will bring gusty northerly winds to coastal areas, strongest this afternoon and evening. The ridge will flatten a bit Friday into Saturday as an upper trough moves into western Canada. Heights lower slightly over the Pacific Northwest during this time frame, but dry westerly flow aloft will persist. So, expect sunnier, dry weather with just some low clouds at the coast from time to time. Changes in temperatures will be subtle with slight cooling expected Friday night into Saturday. On Sunday, a weak upper trough approaches the coast with the mid- level flow becoming more southwesterly.

#### **Reno Weather:**

Patchy fog is possible this morning, but then a warmer and much drier air mass returns for the remainder of the week into the weekend. Temperatures will warm well into the 90s for lower elevations with lower 80s in the Sierra.

#### **San Francisco Weather:**

Dry and warmer conditions are expected Thursday into Friday as an upper ridge builds over California. A cooling trend is forecast to occur over the weekend as a weak upper level low pressure trough develops along the west coast. No rain is forecast through next week.

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

#### **Sacramento Weather:**

High pressure aloft pushing in over the state combined with a lot more sunshine most areas will bring a significant warm up today. Daytime highs today will climb by as much as 10 degrees over areas that got some sun on Wednesday to as much as 20 degrees over areas that remained cloudy through the day. This will put the highs back up over 100 for the northern Sacramento valley and in the 90s other valley locations. Models are showing another backside slider digging into the central sierra this afternoon so have included a slight chance of Sierra thunderstorms south of Interstate 80 but otherwise skies should remain mainly clear today under building ridge. Air mass warms a bit more on Friday with slightly higher heights and thickness values putting the Sacramento area likely above the century mark for high temperatures. Friday looks to be the warmest day with subtle changes expected over the weekend. an upper trough digging into the pacific northwest with bring a slight air mass cooling but also a shift to more onshore flow. The biggest cooling will be in the delta and delta influenced areas with more minor cooling impacts elsewhere. another trough digging into the eastern pacific a little farther south than its predecessor will bring a bit more onshore flow and a little more cooling on Sunday.

#### **Hanford Weather:**

Upper level low currently over central California will increase chances for showers and thunderstorms, especially for the higher elevations, through tonight. The upper level low will track eastward and exit into the great basin allowing for a return to higher pressure bringing drier conditions and an upward temperature trend.

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:**

#### **Los Angeles Weather:**

A trough of low pressure over the region will linger through the weekend and keep a persistent marine layer and onshore flow in place through Saturday. On Friday, moisture will bring a slight chance of thunderstorms and showers in the deserts and mountains, from Santa Barbara and southward. High pressure should start building on Saturday, warming and drying the region for the weekend.

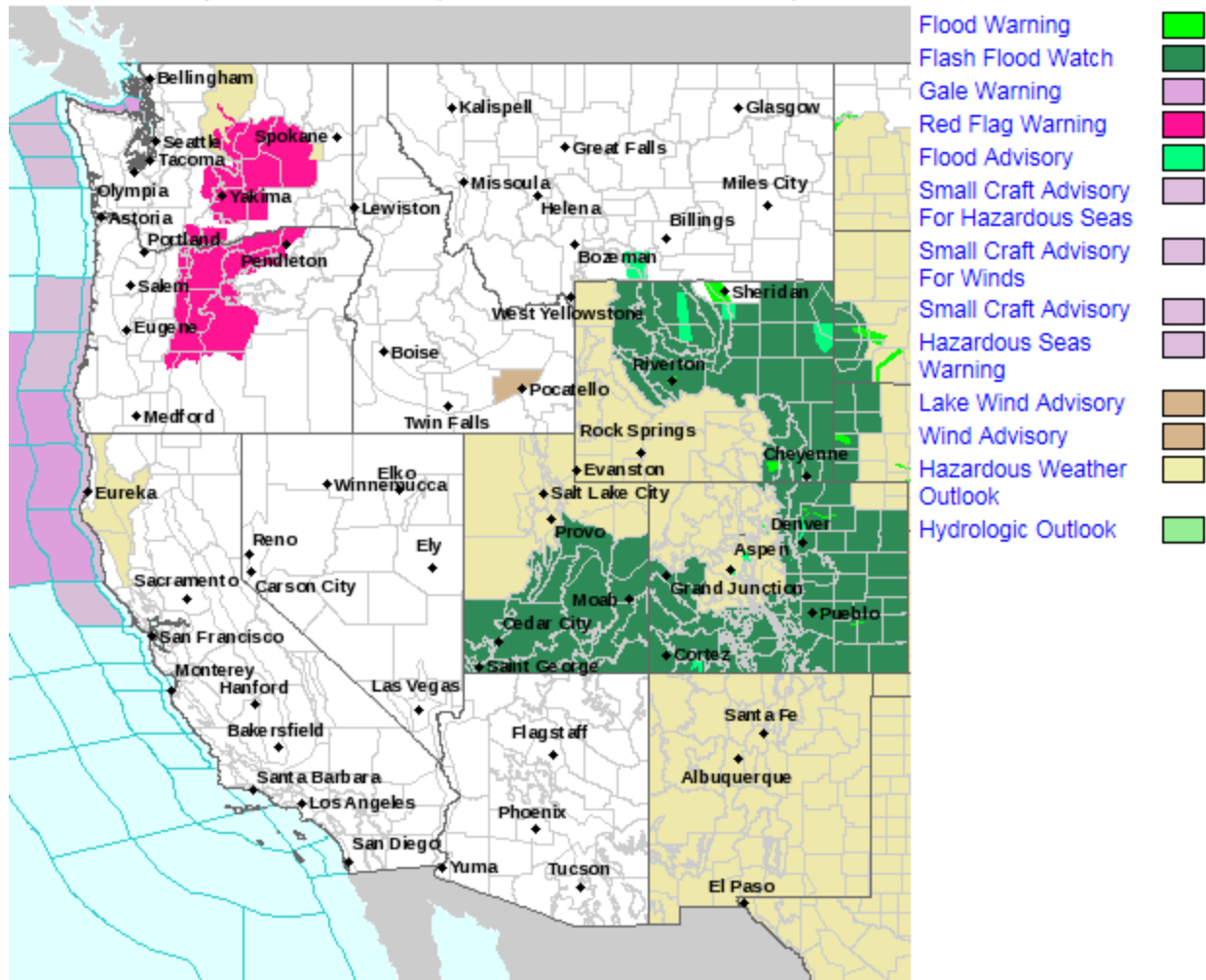
#### **Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:**

Extensive low clouds and areas of drizzle will continue this morning, then general clearing through the afternoon today. It will be a touch warmer today as high pressure builds into the region. Another weak trough will bring a slight chance for showers and thunderstorms to the northern mountains and deserts Friday afternoon. High pressure builds in again over the weekend into early next week bringing warming and drying along with a much shallower marine layer.

#### **Southeast California Weather:**

Drier air moving in from the west will bring dry conditions to the region through Friday, with the exception of the higher terrain north and east of phoenix, which could see a few showers and thunderstorms on Thursday afternoon, as a weak weather disturbance passes to the north. A second weather disturbance moving into the 4 corners region will bring another chance of a few afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms to the higher terrain north and east of phoenix over the weekend. High pressure building into the desert southwest will then bring dry conditions and a warming trend to the entire region next week.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 1**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

# **CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT**

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Coastal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a weekly basis.



# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 57 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 25 Counties: El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 11 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Porterville (Tulare County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

# CAL OES MISSIONS

## New Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-13565, 06/10/15 at 2331 hours,** Robins Fire, via Sutter SD is requesting Sacramento DART to search a vehicle that crashed in to a canal and is submerged. Unknown if vehicle is still occupied. Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources.

## Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-13559, 06/10/15** at 1603 hours, The International Emergency Rescue and Coordination Center (IERCC) advises of a SPOT Activation near Yosemite National Park, Tuolumne County. Two 18 year old males, hiking from Tuolumne Meadows to Twin Lakes. Began June 7 and anticipated completion on June 20. No known medical issues, both are reported to be comfortable in the back country. The SPOT device SOS Button was engaged at 1532 local time, and their position has remained stable since then. Cal OES LDO is coordinating resources. UPDATE: Yosemite Rangers re-contacted and advised that they had located the two subjects. Both were cold and tired, but uninjured. They were running short on food and activated the SPOT for assistance. Two Yosemite Rangers were assigned to stay with the subjects overnight and hike out with them in the morning. IERCC and emergency contacts for both boys notified. **Mission Closed.**

# **UPCOMING EVENTS, TRAINING, EXERCISES**

## **Major Exercises in the Region**

### **Coastal Trident 2015 Regional Port and Maritime Security Program**

- Coastal Trident 2015 Regional Port and Maritime Security Program will be conducting field experiments and operations based exercises throughout San Diego, Santa Barbara, and Ventura County from Monday, 06/08/15 through Friday, 06/12/15.



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